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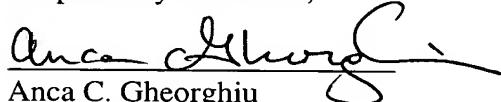
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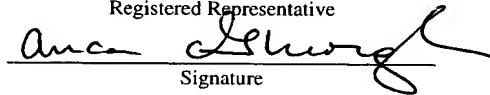
Claims 1-49 are pending in the present reissue application.

Claims 15-17, 23, 39-40 have been amended to include the size of the sample section on which the pressure drop was measured. Support for these changes can be found in the specification in column 8, lines 55-56 which provide the dimensions of the cellular bodies on which the pressure drop was tested as described in column 10 line 1-35.

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